

| Livestock Futures – Close 02/28/13 | | | | | Market Prices on Iowa/Minnesota Direct Hogs – Delivered to the Plant (Price/cwt) | | | | | |
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| Live Hogs | Feeder Cattle | Live Cattle | | | Friday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | |
| Apr 81.00 | Mar 142.00 | Feb 128.00 | | | 49-51 % Lean Carcass | 67.00-78.00 | 65.00-78.50 | 65.00-78.75 | 63.00-78.50 | 62.50-78.75 |
| May 89.30 | Apr 144.92 | Apr 129.85 | | | Live Sows (450-500 lbs) | 42.00-57.05 | 42.00-58.00 | 40.55-61.88 | 47.00-62.50 | 45.00-61.23 |
| Jun 91.47 | May 148.05 | Jun 124.95 | | | Live Sows (500 lbs & Up) | 49.00-57.00 | 50.00-60.00 | 53.50-62.01 | 47.00-61.00 | 51.00-63.24 |

| Slaughter & Replacement Class Goats at NC Weekly Livestock Auctions | | | | Estimated Hog Slaughter Under Federal Inspection | | | Mount Olive Auction Markets (Price/cwt) | | | |
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| Avg Price/head | | | | This Week | | | US No. 1 Hogs | | | |
| Muscle Designation | | Estimated Weight | | Last Year | | | Weight | Mon | Tue | Wed |
| Kids | Selection 1-2 | 20-80 lbs | 30.00-95.00 | Fri | 403,000 | 403,000 | 80-100 | ----- | ----- | 57.50 |
| Yearlings | Selection 1-2 | 60-100 lbs | 110.00-165.00 | Mon | 405,000 | 422,000 | 100-120 | 68.00 | ----- | 60.00 |
| Does | Selection 1-2 | 50-100 lbs | 60.00-135.00 | Tue | 420,000 | 423,000 | 120-140 | 68.00 | 60.00 | 58.00 |
| | Selection 1-2 | 100-140 lbs | 60.00-160.00 | Wed | 421,000 | 425,000 | 140-160 | 66.00 | ----- | ----- |
| Bucks | Selection 1-2 | 70-100 lbs | 130.00 | Thu | 427,000 | 421,000 | 160-180 | ----- | ----- | 58.00 |
| | Selection 1-2 | 100-150 lbs | 150.00-175.00 | | | | 180-200 | ----- | 60.75 | ----- |
| | Selection 1-2 | 150-250 lbs | 185.00-200.00 | | | | 200-240 | 62.50 | 60.75 | 58.41 |

| Five Area Weekly Weighted Averages for Direct Cattle – Negotiated | | | | | Weekly National Direct Sows | | |
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| Feedlots in TX-OK, KS, CO, NE, IA-MN, Beef Breeds | | | | | Week ending February 23, 2013 | | |
| Week ending 02/24/13 | | | | | Receipts: 22,127 | | |
| Live Basis Sales | Head | %Choice | Avg Weight | Avg Price/cwt | Weight Range | Avg Wt | Avg Price |
| Steers | 11,501 | 35-65 | 1,332 | 124.18 | 300-399 lbs | 369 | 47.03 |
| Heifers | 6,758 | 35-65 | 1,177 | 123.80 | 400-449 lbs | 425 | 45.86 |
| Dressed Basis Sales | | (Paid on hot weights) | | | 450-499 lbs | 474 | 50.68 |
| Steers | 3,402 | 35-65 | 852 | 197.69 | 500-549 lbs | 523 | 53.87 |
| Heifers | 3,518 | 35-65 | 735 | 197.60 | 550 lbs & Up | 586 | 54.81 |
| Total Weighted | 85,995 | | | | | | |

| Oklahoma National Stockyards – Weekly Summary 02/25/13 | | | | National Direct Feeder Pig Summary | | |
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| Compared to last week: Feeder cattle and calves not well tested, but limited sales sharply lower. This lower market due to the blizzard in Western and Northwestern Oklahoma that has brought all travel to that area to a shut down. | | | | Week Ending 02/22/2013 | | |
| Feeder Steers: M&L-1 421 lbs 183.32; 479 lbs 179.48; 516 lbs 173.99; 577 lbs 160.06. Feeder Heifers: M&L-1 359 lbs 161.91; 421 lbs 156.49; 472 lbs 150.03. | | | | Receipts: 101,361 | | |
| | | | | Prices are weighted average per head basis. | | |
| | | | | | Formula | Cash |
| | | | | 10 Lbs | 42.90 | 45.90 |
| | | | | 40 Lbs | ----- | 65.46 |
| | | | | Pigs sold direct to farm. Delivered pigs include freight and commission. Estimated 50-54% lean value at base slaughter weights. 10 pounders, 19 days or under. | | |

| Southeast Weekly Hay Report – 02/28/13 | | | | Visit The "N.C.Meat & Cheese Center" Located In The Market Shoppes | |
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| Bermuda Grass – Quoted by ton FOB Producer Barn | | | | | |
| | Premium | Good | Fair | | |
| Round 1500 lbs | 100.00 | | | | |
| Round 1000 lbs | 90.00-100.00 | 60.00-70.00 | | | |
| Square 55 lbs | 180.00-300.00 | | | | |

| US Slaughter Sow Report – 02/28/13 – Price/cwt | | | | | Web Address: www.ncagprices.org Dial-A-Market: 919-733-0016 E-Mail: Sherry.Barefoot@ncagr.gov | |
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| Total sows tabulated 6,017 approx 52% of daily sow slaughter | | | | | | |
| Weight Range | Avg. Wt. | Avg. Price | '12 Wt. | '12 Price | | |
| 300-450 lbs | 387 | 50.80 | 396 | 57.41 | | |
| 450-500 lbs | 475 | 56.49 | 482 | 60.78 | | |
| 500-550 lbs | 523 | 57.45 | 528 | 62.18 | | |
| 550 & Up | 567 | 60.84 | 568 | 62.33 | | |